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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re US Patent Application of: )  
Ty Bordner, et al. )  
Application No.: 09/957,465 ) Group Art Unit: 2163  
Filing Date: September 1, 2001 ) Examiner: Kavita Padmanabhan  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHODS FOR )  
IMPROVED LINGUISTIC )  
PATTERN MATCHING )

**Mail Stop Petition**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT**  
**ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)**

Sir:

The above-identified application (the Application) became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to the non-final Office Action, mailed on June 3, 2005, by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The application became abandoned due to failure to respond to the Office Action.

Applicants respectfully petition for revival of the Application. In order to obtain a grantable petition, the applicants are submitting the required items listed below:

- 1) Petition Fee in the amount of \$1,500.00 as set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m);
- 2) A Reply

The enclosed Amendment and Response Under 37 CFR 1.111 provides a complete response to the non-final Office Action, mailed on June 3, 2005.

3) A Terminal Disclaimer is not necessary due to the fact that the Application was filed after June 8, 1995; and

4) STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

In addition, Applicants enclose copies of the non-final Office Action, mailed on June 3, 2005, and Notice of Abandonment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) or (g), dated December 19, 2005.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of Hunton & Williams, Deposit Account Number 50-0206.

Dated: March 20, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

  
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